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GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.

The Wreck Discovered.

DETROIT July 27—The exact locality of the wreck of the yacht *Minnie* has been discovered. Three bodies have been found and the rest will soon be taken from the water.

Yellow Fever at Mobile

MOBILE July 27—The English bark *A. S.* arrived at quarantine with yellow fever. The second mate is very ill and every body on board has been down except three men. Two have died.

MOBILE July 27—The two men who died on the infected vessel were buried at sea. The captain and two sailors are now convalescing. The *Wood* has been quarantined about a mile from any vessel in the lower quarantine station and is on the extreme point of Mobile bay 36 miles from the city.

Sea Lion Captured

NEW BRUNSWICK N. J., July 27—A sea lion was caught here Saturday night by Richard Welch harbor master. It is eight feet long. It is supposed to have escaped from Coney Island Saturday.

Grant in the Southwest.

LEADVILLE, July 27—Grant's family go to Manitou Tuesday morning. The general will drive over the country to Gunnison district and then make a tour of the San Juan mines accompanied by Fred. Ten days hence Gen Grant proceeds to New York having concluded to accept the management of a Mexican portant group of mines in New Mexico.

Insubordination and its Results

SAN ANTONIO, July 27—At Monterey, Mexico, a hundred soldiers undertook to liberate an officer arrested for drunkenness. In the fight with the police a captain and a major were killed and fourteen soldiers killed or wounded.

Base Ball.

SPRINGFIELD Mo., July 27.—Nationals two, Chicagos one, twelve innings.

TROY July 27—Troys 8, Buffalos, 6.

PROVIDENCE July 27—Chicagos, 2, Providences 6.

WORCESTER July 27.—Cincinnatis 1, Worcesters 3.

BOSTON July 27—Clevelands 5 in first inning, Boston, 2 in first inning.

Sudden Death

NEW YORK, July 27—Chas Barlow of R. G. Dun & Co's mercantile agency died suddenly at his summer residence in Long Branch to-day. He was apparently in perfect health yesterday.

Dr. Tanner's Fortieth Day.

Dr. Tanner is in improved spirits to day and none of yesterday's unfavorable symptoms were manifested. From midnight until noon he drank only a half a pint of water. He enters confidently upon the thirtieth day of his fast.

Negro Campmeeting in Ohio Broken up by Ikeagha.

CINCINNATI July 27—A colored Baptist campmeeting at Danville, ten miles south of Hillsboro, Ohio, was the scene on Friday night and on Sunday afternoon of bloody fights. On Friday night a party of drunken roughs went to the camp at about 10 o'clock, and began an attack with pistols clubs and stones. They were repulsed and William Dishman of that number, shot through the abdomen. Sunday afternoon, a party said to number 200 again attacked the camp, and a most desperate fight followed and ended in breaking up the meeting. It is thought that some of the colored people were killed but they dispersed so rapidly that the fact could not be gathered. No arrests have been made.

Financial.

NEW YORK July 27—Total gold en route from Europe $1 630 000. Offers for bonds for the sinking fund will be received to-morrow.

Edison gives up the Light and turns another Project.

Edison has given up his efforts to devise an electric light and is now working on a noiseless explosive and dis tos electric locomotive.

Site for the Obelisk Selected.

A site has been selected in Central park for the obelisk.

Grant and Party

DENVER, July 27—General Grant and wife Mrs Fred Grant and child and W. W. Smith arrived at Manitou this afternoon and were met by U. S. Grant, Jr.

Fatal Accident.

A two-year old child was burned to a crisp and a young lady, named Annie Palmer probably fatally injured here to day by the explosion of an oil can, with which she was lighting a fire.

Discharged.

DEADWOOD, July 27—Capt. I. M. West ex-superintendent and contractor of the Black Hills Placer Mining Co. charged with embezzling $1,500 shares of the company's stock, valued at $23 000 from Josiah Heid, was discharged after preliminary examination today. It is rumored the money was used to influence the decision West has left the country.

Prospects of the Cotton Crop.

MONDAY July 27.—Prof. Riley, chief entomological commissioner of the United States, addressed the planters of the Cotton Exchange to-day, and regards the worm in most fields throughout a large extent of territory visited by him. He says that if planters pursue the worm and fowl war as he is good there may be a very good crop.

POLITICAL.

One of the Wig nia Factions

NEW YORK, July 27.—The *Herald* announces an interview yesterday between a committee from the U. S. labor league and Hancock. Gen M. Boyle of Virginia, the spokesman of the committee said that both democrats and republicans belonged to their organization which exercises local influence in many sections; that in September next they would hold a convention in this city at which they would decide the question as to which of the candidates to give their support. A decision that could only be reached by first ascertaining which of the candidates was most in accord with their views. He denied that their organization had any connection with socialism or communism. Their sole object was to secure justice to the working classes and enforcement of the eight hour law. The establishment of a system of arbitration between employers and workmen to prevent strikes and the enactment of laws guiding to more justly award the division of profits between capital and labor. After listening to a statement of the committee, Hancock refused to express any views in the matter. Under the circumstances all he could do and this he cheerfully did was to give them a letter of introduction to Senator Barnum, chairman of the democratic central committee. The letter was a strictly formal one and said that the gentlemen would explain their business.

Grand Republican Conference to be Held at New York

Tuesday's *Times* says: A republican conference of great importance will be held in this city August 5th. The indications from every part of the country as shown by communications received at the national committee headquarters, are that the republicans here are ready but anxious to prosecute the campaign with vigor. There seems every reason to believe that what is called in many letters the "old time" republican spirit will be awakened and that not only the old time republicans but a vast army of young and active men who are about to cast their first vote for president will be organized in support of republican principles and the Cincinnati candidates. It has been considered advisable at this time in the campaign to call together some of the representative men of the party from every section of the country to consider the best means of acting upon what appears to be a general and rising impulse to make an early and active campaign, and to decide upon a plan that will make it most effective from one end of the country to the other. Among others who have been requested to take part in the conference are Gen Garfield and Gen Arthur. They will meet the members of the national committee, the chairmen of the different state committees the congressional committee, and about 100 prominent republicans from different states who are not members of either of the committees named.

Exodus of Negroes from Kentucky to Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS July 27.—The Louisville Courier Journal is excited over what it calls an exodus of negroes from Kentucky into Indiana "to vote the republican ticket." That many colored people are leaving Kentucky for Indiana is true but that there is any political design in the movement is utterly false. The fact is that the colored men of Kentucky are just beginning to find out that their condition in a democratic state is almost as bad as it was before slavery was abolished and that they can greatly better their condition by going north. There is a growing exodus movement in Kentucky especially from Nelson and adjoining counties and its only explanation is the fact that in Kentucky they are oppressed and deprived of all ordinary privileges of citizenship while in Indiana and other northern states they can find employment at fair wages and are treated like human beings.

Congressional Nomination

WHEELING July 27.—The democrats of the second district have nominated John Blair Hoge for congress defeating incumbent Marlin.

Fusion in Maine

AUGUSTA July 27—The democratic and greenback state committees were in separate and secret session to day. It is the decision of both committees that fusion is the only course that can be followed. A great concession will be made to the greenback element. Leaders of all parties hope to catch votes of disaffected temperance men for Plaisted.

Congressman Mitch (greenback labor) was renominated to day by the democratic convention.

Congressional Nomination

RICHMOND Va. July 27.—The democratic convention has nominated Capt. Geo. D. Wise nephew of the late Gov. Wise, for congress from the third district.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Improbable Report

WASHINGTON July 27.—Assistant Secretary of the Interior Bell does not credit an assorted press dispatch to the effect that the Ute commission has been met in a hostile manner. Mr. Bell thinks that no more opposition has ensued than is usually the case in councils where new propositions are made and said that nothing significant has happened. If anything important has occurred he is confident that the commission would have advised the department, and up to a late hour to-day not a word had been heard from them.

Spain must make Amends.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Col. John Hay, assistant secretary, denies the report that this government was satisfied with the Spanish explanation of firing upon our vessels. This government holds that the statements of the captains and crews of the fruiters fired upon are more worthy of be lef than assurances of the Spanish government, and if these statements are backed by affidavits reparation will be demanded in spite of the declarations of Spanish authorities. They have sent to Philadelphia for these affidavits, and expect the captains will send them in support of their statements as to the firing and the distance they were from shore. If it is established in this way that the vessels were over one league from where when the saint ignored, Spain must make the amends honorable.

Hurrah must be Removed

WASHINGTON July 27.—Collector Merritt of New York will not be removed. This gives its chief importance from the fact that it has latterly been reported that Conkling will have nothing to do with Grant's canvass unless Merritt is kicked out.

An Important Matter.

The transportation of silver has become a serious question with the treasury department which is now considering how it can remove the overflowing mint and sub treasury at San Francisco and provide storage for it without exceeding the $20 000 appropriated for that purpose.

The Mexican Force after Victoria.

WASHINGTON July 27.—General McDowell telegraphs the adjutant general from San Francisco as follows: I have long dispatch from the Mexican General Valle dated Concella 12th inst. saying that he takes the field against Victorio with 320 cavalry and 150 infantry and has author ity to cross the line sent him by our president.

Hancock's Military Duty

Gen. Hancock, in addition to his present duties has been assigned to the command of the department of the South during the temporary absence of Brig Gen. Augur.

Postoffice Material Wanted.

Bids were opened at the postoffice department to-day for mail bags, mail locked and fasteners. Many bids were received from Cincinnati, Cleveland Nashville, Parkersburg and other places. Awards are to be made on or before Aug 10th.

Cabinet Meeting.

A short cabinet session was held to day. The Spanish outrage question was not discussed but as Secretary Evarts remained with the president after adjournment, the matter is believed to have been made the subject of private consultation. During the session Secretary Hunt reported to the fact that Admiral Wyman's dispatches of Feb last had been furnished the public before they were handed over to the state department, and took Commodore Jeffers representing the navy department, mildly to task for the lack in his department.

Secretary Sherman alluded to the encouraging condition of the nation's finances as shown by excess of receipts over expenditures for the present month and predicts the continuance of a healthy and favorable condition of affairs.

The mint and sub treasury at San Francisco are overflowing with silver coin, and application is made for transfer of $2,000 000. The cost of transporting this sum at the rates charged by express companies and railroads would be $20 000—one per cent. The question of the mode in which this silver can be transported and where it can be most easily stored and not exceed the amount of $20 000 appropriated for vault room, is being considered by the treasury department.

CRIMINAL MATTERS

Border Measures in Maryland.

WASHINGTON July 27—John Digas (negro) who outraged Mrs. Bas. Tichiliely Saturday night last near Bernestown, Maryland was lodged in jail at Rockville yesterday. Shortly before this morning about 50 men appeared at the jail and some of them demanded admission on the plea of identification. Sheriff Kitchen refused admittance while the crowd remained and they fell back a few feet. Another formal demand being made a slight demur was made by the deputy sheriff. This was a signal for assault and the door was broken in. While the door was being forced quite a melee occurred with the officers and even after Digas had been brought out in the open air the sheriff made another attempt to rescue his prisoner. He was immediately caught, and held. In his struggles he received a cut on the arm. The band then hurried Digas off in the sable irons clanking as he was forced down the road at a quick trot. He seemed quite calm and said that he was willing to die. Some distance from town the party met a horse by preconcerted arrangement. Digas hands and arms were pinioned and a rope then found that to hang him by running the horse from under him was impracticable. A noose was placed around his neck and he was hauled from the ground making but little resistance. The body was left hanging. Digas made a full confession of the crime to the sheriff previous to the jail being forced.

Death Sentence Commuted

RICHMOND Va. July 2.—The sentence of Nelson Mitchell (colored), to be hanged Friday in Amherst county has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

Murder at Sag Harbor

At Sag Harbor Miles Morris was shot dead on a seat in the car occupied Morris of being unduly intimate with his wife.

Assassination

NACOGDOCHES Miss., July 27.—Dr. M. F. Williams of Mechanicsburg was assassinated while riding home Saturday night. His horse reached home riderless and search being made the doctor's body was found. A negro was arrested on suspicion and has since confessed guilt. He says that he was paid to kill the doctor.

Murder in Baltimore

BALTIMORE July 27.—Michael Maddox was arrested to day for the murder of John Schlaya. He alleges that he found the latter in his wife's bedroom this morning.

WEST INDIES

Insurgents Killed

HAVANA, July 27.—In a recent engagement on the river Mabay insurgent officers Brigadier General Pepillo Medina and Col Johnson, the latter a native of the United States were killed by Spanish troops. The insurgent chief, Juan Fleites and three of his followers surrendered with their arms at Bayamo.

Yellow Fever at Havana.

Sixty-one deaths occurred from yellow fever during the week ending Saturday last.

EASTERN COMPLICATIONS.

The Porte Declines the Note

CONSTANTINOPLE July 27.—The porte in reply to the collective note of the powers in sum that article 61 of the treaty of Berlin merely authorized the powers to offer mediation not arbitration. It declares that the convention of the recent conference gives Greece more territory than did the protocol of the Berlin treaty and indicates that the proposed cession includes a part in which it is impossible for Turkey to surrender.

LONDON July 27.—A Constantinople dispatch to the *Daily News* says that the porte's reply to the collective note has been submitted to the sultan for his approval and will be communicated to ambassadors forthwith. It is believed that the tenor of the reply as originally adopted by the ministers, has been modified.

English Influence

Goschen, the British ambassador has a private interview with the sultan to day.

Turkey and the Proposed Demonstration.

CONSTANTINOPLE July 27.—The porte has discovered through one of its agents abroad, that England confidentially sounded the powers on the subject of a naval demonstration but the intelligence caused no alarm. Abdedin Pasha minister of foreign affairs is reported to have said that any such measure from the kind would simply have the effect of inciting the Albanians to energetic action, and naval authorities opine that a hostile fleet could not inflict much real injury so long as the Dardanelle are properly protected by forts and torpedoes. The sultan is guided chiefly by fear of immediate consequences and fears together with all other rifle pieces around him, tend to make him offer a dogged resistance.

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BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Compensation Bill Passed the House

The compensation bill was read a third time and finally passed.

In the house of lords the Irish compensation bill was thrown out by a vote of 326 conservatives and 301 liberals, a majority of 25. Nineteen conservatives voted with the government. Forty-three liberals are said to have promised to vote for the compensation bill.

The *Times* says the normal majority in the house of commons of the liberals and home rulers combined is at least 120 and the diminution of the ministerial strength as shown by last night's division is in a measure brought to an inadequate one of the circumstances which the compensation bill provided.

LONDON July 27.—The *Times* says: The compensation bill has fallen into deep water through its inherent vices of structure and character. It would be well for the government to abstain from raising a question of this kind until the royal commission has reported on the subject. In the meantime vague intimation of coming changes engender more alarm and alienate more support than all efforts of the conservatives' oratory.

The Relief Bill in the House of Lords.

In the house of lords last night, the Irish relief bill passed the second reading.

In the house of lords this evening Earl Granville foreign secretary introduced the compensation for disturbance in Ireland bill which passed the house of commons last night. The second reading of the bill was fixed for Monday next. Earl Dartrey liberal on behalf of Earl Grey liberal gave notice of a motion to reject the measure. Earl Grey has volunteered opposition to the bill. A circular addressed to the peers requesting their attendance in the house of lords Monday to oppose the second reading of the compensation for disturbance in Ireland bill is signed by the following whigs, peers and lords: Aveland Carysfort Dartrey Fitzwilliam Ilgo and Somerset.

Successful Sally

LONDON, July 27.—The dory *Little Western* Capt Geo. F. Thomas from Gloucester Mass June 12th for this port passed the Scilly islands at 10 this morning.

Gold Shipment to America.

LONDON July 27.—Gold to the amount of £30 000 was shipped at Havre for New York, Saturday.

Personal.

LONDON, July 27. Lord Rosebery has accepted the nomination to the lord rectorship of the university of Edinburgh.

Sothern, the actor, is very ill. He has relinquished all engagements for a year. His physicians prescribe absolute repose.

A New Journal

A new weekly journal, *Saturday Afternoon*, is about to appear under the editorship of Farjeon the novelist.

The Riflemen.

The Ameer can riflemen were much cheered upon going up to receive prizes at the hands of the Princess of Wales. All papers mention the disparity between Farrow and Hyde the marker who took a time in the Olympia competition is under arrest. The result of inquiry has not yet given its decision in the matter. The British team has suggested that two strangers be placed at the butts to watch the target of the Americans during the match in order to see fair play. Hyde declared it unnecessary.

Arrival of Trickett in England

LONDON, July 27.—The Australian packet which arrived at Plymouth to day, brings Trickett, the champion sculler.

Eugenie Again in England

The Empress Eugenie has arrived at Plymouth.

Disastrous Rains in England.

LONDON July 27.—Very serious damage was done to crops throughout Worcestershire and parts of Staffordshire by heavy rains Sunday and Monday.

Good Weather and Good Crops in Ireland.

DUBLIN, July 27.—The weather continues to be very fine. Hay is being got and saved. All crops are maturing with unusual rapidity. In view of this some members of the Mansion House relief committee consider their labors ought to be ended immediately.

Mormon Missionaries Expelled from Germany.

BERLIN, July 27.—The government has expelled all Mormon missionaries making progress.

Philliparty Again

BRUSSELS July 27.—The appellate court has confirmed a sentence of six months imprisonment passed in 1878 on Francisco Philliparty for an irregular course of speculations.

Earthquake at Naples

NAPLES July 27.—A sharp shock of earthquake was felt here to day.

An Unpleasant Matter

PARIS July 29.—The reports sent to America of the suicide of Mrs. Annie Wetmore, the divorced wife of a citizen of New York, at the residence of the divorced Englishwife of Lord Albert Peiham Clinton in this city are likely to become the subject of serious judicial investigation. There appears to be no reason whatever to suppose that the unfortunate Mrs. Wetmore committed suicide as all her death being officially reported as caused by congestion of the brain. The story of the suicide is being followed to have been concocted by a clique in this city of various nationalities but of one social class in the hope of extorting hush money from a suspicious foreigner formerly associated with Mrs. Wetmore. It is a painful story and the details will probably throw a very unpleasant light on certain aspects of the press in the French capital.

Idle Threats.

PARIS July 27.—The demonstrations in behalf of Henri Rochefort made at the station de Lyons, Saturday, do not cause the slightest excitement here.

Yellow Fever

LONDON July 27.—The steamer *Dacia* from Havre from the West Indies has yellow fever on board. Three persons died on the passage. 18 are convalescing.

Effects of the Recent Earthquake

MADRID July 27.—The governor of Manila telegraphs to the minister of the colonies on the 20th inst. reports that the tower of the cathedral has fallen on the body of the edifice remaining standing. The Dominicans have abandoned the university. The archbishop's palace and his general's official residence is uninhabitable. Stocks continue through less violent. News from the provinces of the Philippine islands is of the most gloomy nature.

Capital Punishment Restored

GENEVA July 27.—Canton Schwitz has re-established capital punishment and has enacted that executions be public. This makes the fourth canton which has restored punishment of death.

Russian Affairs—A Horrible Prison Pen

The emperor of Russia has withdrawn his objections to receiving Marquis Tseng the Chinese embassador. The latter will hasten if he has arrived en route.

Neue Wienna gives the particulars of Lebaskyn one of the chief establishments of the kind. An inspector states that he found the female wards 157 women of whom 30 were all many convicts. In the male wards were 92 men of whom 17 were ill. The prime was filthy and ventilation wholly inadequate. It is insisted that each man has but three fifths of the quantity of air necessary to support an adult person. The prison is never repaired and dirt and disorder reign supreme. In spite of the short term of imprisonment one year to which inmates are subject the death rate is nearly 30 per cent.

Necessary Reforms

The *Gulos* says Genil administration procedure in punishing crimes are abolished all reforms are futile. The inviolability of individuals must be recognized and established in law before every one can support the government in its measures.

FIRES

Fire at St Louis

ST LOUIS July 27.—The extensive furniture factory of J. H. Vornbrock, at the southwest corner of 15th and Cass avenue was totally destroyed by fire between 1 and 2 o'clock this afternoon. Loss unknown.

Fire in Boston

BOSTON July 27.—The old Pine street church at Washington and Pine streets was damaged to day by fire $25 000 insurance $1 000.

The Dalles will ask the legislature to enact for her a new charter. Judge McArthur has been employed to draft it and the Wasco delegation will make an effort to put it through.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Secretary Thompson at Mare Island

SAN FRANCISCO July 27.—Secretary Thompson went from the navy yard to Mare Island in the *Hunter* yesterday and was received with a salute of 13 guns from the navy yard and likewise with honors from fort Lyon and on landing, was escorted by the board of Commissioners and officers of the yard.

A Battle of Words between Kalloch and Supervisor Steiger

A disgraceful scene occurred in the board of supervisors meeting last evening. Steiger member from the twelfth ward objected to questions of privilege and referring to the fact that Mayor Kalloch at a recent meeting of the board of election commissioners had refused the board land that he for one would stand it no longer.

Supervisor Taylor rose to speak but Kalloch refused to recognize him and began speaking from the chair saying that he had the same right to act as supervisors in the board of election commissioners as the supervisors had to attack him or the board. Cries arose. "Come down from the chair. You want to speak." Come down on the floor of the house. Taylor has the floor etc. Kalloch continued harranging the board amid cries for adjournment and a general uproar during which the board adjourned on account of responsibility and utter crowding around the chair in a manner which for a time threatened to result in violence, nearly broke up and left the chamber.

The Castaways

SAN FRANCISCO July 27.—The Hawaiian consul and the agent here of the abandoned ship *Matilda* have applied to the Pacific Mail Company to have the *Granada*, which sails for Panama on the 5th of August stop at Socorro Island to take off the captain of the *Matilda* and party if there. The request has been referred to the New York office. Cap. Jones of the *Matilda* was a lieutenant in the navy during the war.

The Reason Why

A story comes from Oakland this morning that Mrs. Schroeder on Saturday was visited at her house by Le Lefevre who there administered an anesthetic and gave the offense she charged him with to her husband.

Fire at Gardiner.

The Simpson Mill and Several Other Buildings Destroyed.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EMPIRE CITY July 25.—During a heavy wind yesterday a fire spread from Hendale's slab box burning the Hendale's houses Simpson Bros saw mill, and nearly every house in the upper part of the town. Estimated loss, no less than $50 000.

List of Losses

Principal losses by the Gardiner fire yesterday: Simpson Bros., two mill engines and mill. Gardener Hotel, Aurora Hotel, fine residence of Capt. Leeds. Burchard's store and goods. Nelson & Reed's saloon drug store. Masonic Hall, schoolhouse, dwellings of Jas. Graham, John Grills, Wm. Magee, Chas. Smith, Fred Seymour and Mrs. Nichols and others.

THE TURF.

The Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, July 27.—Walker on the steeple case, about 2½ miles. Pomeroy second, Captain Franklin third, time 4 43.

The first race a mile dash was won by Luke Blackburn easily in 1.40.

The 1½ mile race Col. Scruggs won, Frank Ives 2d, time 2.37.

Little Jake won the 3 mile dash, Brambolet 2d, time 1.17¼.

In the 1½ ran Warfield won, Dan K. 2d, time, 1.58.

Races at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND July 27.—First day, 2.27 class. Dan Dale won, John Grant 2d, Bianca 3d. Don Smith 4th, Black Cloud 5th, Ben Merrill last time 2.19, 2.18 2.21½.

In the 2.21 race Will Cody won, Richard 2d, Lucy 3d, time, 2.24½ 2.21½ 2.21 2.22½.

Two-mile heat race for 2.25 class was won handily by Unala, favorite against the field at long odds. Maid Rose 2d, Annah 3d, Tekoosha 4th, Dream 5th, time 5.02 4.58.

The Goodwood Stakes.

LONDON, July 27.—The Goodwood stakes were won by Bevelier, Ethel Weiss 2d, Bay Arthur 3d.

Tesbrook's filly, The Clown, won the sweepstakes. Countryside second, Tempa third. The Richmond stakes for two year old colts and fillies was won by Baigal, Skobell second, Rosie third. Lindale's Pawpaw finished last. Fred Archer rode his winner.

ACCIDENTS.

Steamer Disabled

NEW YORK, July 27.—The steamer *Acapulco* arrived to-day from Aspinwall having in tow the steamer *Colon* of the same line, previously reported disabled.

Marine Disasters.

LONDON July 27.—The steamer *Hazel Dean*, Capt. Hall from Lisbon to Newcastle was sunk in the British channel. Five of the crew were drowned.

Sad Accident.

A row boat was run down by a steam launch on the Thames to day and a gentleman and lady and two children drowned.

Pleasure Boat Disaster.

BERNE July 27.—A pleasure steamer capsized in a squall on Haute Brienz to day and 10 persons were drowned.

Fatal Accident

PORTSVILLE Pa. July 27.—Jonathan Wasson superintendent Frank Wilson and John Lafferty were connected with the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company were smothered with black damp yesterday in the levely run. Their bodies were found to day. All leave families.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

A Gratifying Statement—Exchanges Greatly Favoring the United States

WASHINGTON July 27.—Excess of exports over imports for the two months ending June 30th $56 000 000. During the year just closed the value of imports of merchandise into the United States were large than during any preceding year in the history of the country. The value of exports of merchandise during the year ending June 30 1880 exceeded the value of exports of merchandise during the preceding year by $100 000 000 or 30 per cent. The value of imports for the year ending June 30 1880 exceeded the value of imports for the preceding year by $60 000 000 or 30 per cent. The value of imports and exports of gold during the year just closed exceeded the value of gold exported and imported during the preceding year by $100 000 000 or 30 per cent. The value of imports and exports of silver during the year just closed exceeded the value of silver exported and imported during the preceding year by $10 000 000 or 30 per cent. The rapid growth of the foreign trade of the United States is strikingly exhibited by the fact that the exports of merchandise during the year just closed exceeded by $100 000 000 or 30 per cent the value of imports and exports of merchandise during the preceding year. The value of imports during the year just closed exceeded by $100 000 000 or 30 per cent the value of exports during the preceding year. The exports of coin and bullion during the year ending June 30 1880, were $7 300 000 less than during the preceding fiscal year and imports of coin and bullion during the year just closed were $20 000 000 less than during the preceding fiscal year. The imports during the year just closed for the first time since 1861 exceeded the exports of coin and bullion.

CONGRESSMAN KEIFER'S VIEWS.

Ohio Sure for Garfield and Indiana Promises Well—The Great Order to the Boys in Blue.

WASHINGTON June 27.—Congressman Keifer just renominated says that Ohio will give not less than 20 000 republican majority next year called from the largest possible vote ever cast in the state. Indiana it is a close state. When times were hard and farmers raised worse crops than ever in the state they gave majorities for the policy of the administration and in now past. Democrats attacked the national banks and hoglish is a national banker and represents that idea. The democratic leaders are disunited while republicans are wholly harmonious and united on their candidate.

Respecting Gen Grant's order to the Boys in Blue Keifer said: Is that not a grand thing? Is like Grant—short crisp and business-like. I am waiting to see how much democratic press will cringe under it. They had been trying to create the impression that he was friendly to Hancock when all their insinuations are wiped out at a blow by this order that will electrify the veterans of the nation from shore to shore. There is no use denying it—Grant has a hold on the hearts of the people, and you will see the Boys in Blue fall in from Maine to California. It will take no second admonition from their old commander.

DELIBERATE MURDER

At Nevada City Cal.—A Prominent Citizen Killed by an ex-Sheriff

NEVADA Cal. July 26.—At 10 15 this morning Geo. W. Smith ex sheriff of this county met T. W. Sigourney an old and wealthy resident in front of the National Hotel office. Smith charged Sigourney of robbing him and without further warning drew his pistol and commenced shooting at Sigourney. The first shot took effect in Sigourney's right shoulder. Sigourney ran for the post office where he was met and fired at the building. Smith following him and firing more shots. Sigourney turned and fired at Smith, who fell dead. Smith was armed with two pistols. Sigourney was shot in the left side. The second shot entered on the left side two inches below the ribs, passed entirely through the intestines, and imbedded itself in the skin on the opposite side of the body. The ball was found and extracted by Dr. Schneider a short time after the shooting. Dr. Lefevre survived his injury but thirty or forty minutes, when the remains were conveyed to the morgue. The tragedy has created intense excitement in our usually quiet and law abiding community from the fact that both of the participants were highly connected socially. The slayer of Lefevre has held his position in the London and San Francisco Bank for a long time and was greatly respected by all who knew him both socially and in business transactions. Dr. Lefevre was one of our best known and highly respected citizens, having practiced his profession here for many years. There are many wild stories afloat regarding the animus of the shooting, the chief reason being that Lefevre had had criminal relations with the wife of Schroeder but there is at present no definite proof of this assertion.

The Inquest.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—An inquest on the body of Dr. Lefevre, of Oakland, was given today by Schroeder, developing no new facts. The defense declined calling any witnesses and the jury rendered a verdict charging Schroeder with murder. No murder can not be found. When she left her husband last night she said, "You will never see me alive again." It is reported that some of the latter's friends in this city have engaged counsel and that a warrant will be served for the arrest of the officer who executed the deed.

The affair has created great excitement and public opinion is divided as to the merits of the case.

FROM THE NORTH

General Items from British Columbia

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

VICTORIA, July 25.—The telegraphic cable between Sidney and San Juan island as again broken and communication is only possible twice a week between this point and the outside world.

Legal business is at a standstill in consequence of a decision of the chief justice, that there are no rules of the council under which legal machinery may be worked.

The steamship *Victoria* passed down Thursday.

The steamship *City of Cheste* arrived yesterday.

The steamship *Empire* has not yet been reported.

The bark *Strathearn* sailed for Portland last evening.

The ship *Challenge* from San Francisco, arrived last evening.

A heavy northwest wind prevails and it is thought that the ship *Thrasher* will have to be anchored.

The rain has will go into camp for five days on Thursday, next.

Plans of contractors for the construction of the Esquimalt dry dock have arrived to begin the work.

Engineers are examining Barnard Inlet for a site for the Canada Pacific railway terminus.

The rock on which the *Thrasher* struck is not down on the chart.

The weather has been very warm on the mainland.

The Victoria police are making raids on Chinese brothels.

The *Colonist* has a report that the British Columbia Pacific syndicate has capital of $2 000 000 and that the bargain has been concluded with Canadian government. If this report is true a great impetus will be given to every place in Fraser valley.

CRUNT IN THE FIELD

In Old Time Orders to the Boys in Blue Rejoicing and Democrats Disgusted

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CHICAGO, July 27.—A special Washington dispatch says: The order of Gen Grant to the boys in blue to vote the country first and party last, the effect of the letter on the democratic leaders, and the fact that the letter was written on the anniversary of the battle of Atlanta, has created a profound sensation in political circles. Democrats are disgusted and republicans rejoicing. Democratic papers are denouncing the letter as a bid for the soldier vote, and republican papers are hailing it as a declaration of war against the democratic party. Democratic leaders are dismayed at the effect of the letter, and republicans are jubilant. Democrats say that the letter is a bid for the soldier vote, and republicans say that it is a declaration of war against the democratic party. Democratic leaders are dismayed at the effect of the letter, and republicans are jubilant. Democrats say that the letter is a bid for the soldier vote, and republicans say that it is a declaration of war against the democratic party. Democratic leaders are dismayed at the effect of the letter, and republicans are jubilant.

CANADA

Ship and Cargo Lost

MONTREAL July 27.—The ship *Wanderer* from Manila with sugar for the Montreal refinery here, was wrecked at the mouth of Macca river and her cargo, valued at from $180 000 to $90 000 lost. Insured.

Mrs. Almira Raymond who arrived in Oregon in 1851 died at Simpson on the 26th inst., aged sixty six years. She had lived on Clatsop plains for many years.

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Eastern Oregon.

Prof. Marsh has two men at work in Grant county collecting fossils. They will be employed for three months.

A cheese factory has been started at Cove Union county. The establishment receives about 2500 pounds of milk a day.

Salmon are again running very freely. Wm. Humes's boats averaged 107 each on Monday and other canneries about the same.

The new academy at the Dalles is to be ready for school purposes by November next. Bids for erection of the building will be opened on the 12

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 28, 1880.

THE DANGER AHEAD.

As time goes on and the people reflect more fully and carefully upon the probable results of the political contest now pending they are likely to see more and more clearly the danger of putting all power into the hands of the section defeated and balled hitherto in its attempts upon the peace and integrity of the country. The movement on the part of the south is not now an open assault as heretofore, but in some respects it is even more dangerous, because it presents the aspect of an insidious attempt [illegible] into power under disguises cunningly adopted for the purpose of quieting the natural apprehensions felt by the northern people as to the danger of southern ascendency. Inasmuch as the chief strength of the democratic party is in the late confederate states, no one can honestly deny that it is most probable, nay certain and inevitable, that in case the democratic party should gain control those states would be uppermost, and would actually control the policy of the country. That the south should give the law to the party would not only be natural, and what certainly would be expected, but it is actually what has happened heretofore in all the history of that party. Of course the policy of that section from which the party derives three-fourths of its strength would prevail. Nothing else could be reasonably looked for. Moreover, in all the demands made by the south before and since the war, the democratic party of the north has ever shown itself a willing assistant and supporter. Now what is the southern policy? What does the south want? It is not difficult to see through the whole cloud of flimsy issues presented as a blind or cover to the real purposes in the near background. The desperate effort so long persisted in to get control of the government through the despotic methods which have made the south "solid" and which keep it so, is not aimless. The object is, as the south declared at the recent extra session of congress, to undo all the legislation growing out of the war and this includes abrogation of the constitutional amendments, so that the blacks may be deprived of suffrage, the confederate debt paid, and the claims of rebel property owners met and satisfied. This is no visionary scheme, though at first blush it may seem so. Already the methods have been carefully calculated. It is not proposed to attempt the abrogation of the amendments by submitting the question to the several states. It could not be carried in that way, as the northern states would invariably oppose it. But a more effective way would be found. The first step is get possession of the supreme court of the United States. In a recent speech at Indianapolis Hon. A. G. Porter, republican candidate for the governorship of Indiana, pointed out the successive steps in the democratic programme, as follows:

(1.) The division of Texas into four states, according to the act of annexation, thus securing eight in place of two southern senators. (2.) The admission of Utah and New Mexico to secure four more senators. (3.) The organization of the state of Oklahoma to secure two more. This would give the solid south 44 senators, or exactly half the body. (4.) The abolition of all the reconstruction measures. (5.) The abrogation of all the constitutional amendments. (6.) The reconstruction of the United States supreme court. On this point Mr. Porter said: "It would be easy enough for a court composed of men believing in the southern theory of secession to hold that all these amendments are void for violation of the 'federal compact.' We know from experience in our own state how easily constitutional amendments may be overthrown to meet even the smallest exigencies of party. Now see how easily these amendments may be overthrown to meet the overwhelming demands of a section. The way is already prepared. A bill is now pending, introduced by Manning of Alabama, to increase the judges of the supreme court to seventy-nine. Let that bill pass, and the south will demand that at least three-fourths of the increase shall be appointed from the south. The cabinet, three-fourths southern, will know how to select men whose sentiments are known beforehand on questions so vital. Upon an agreed case like that in our own state the amendments may be declared, in the language of the democratic platform, 'unconstitutional, revolutionary and void.' Judges who should thus decide would win honor in the south. Their memories would be canonized by the southern people, for they would have opened the hospitable door through which the whole flood of claims they believe just can be allowed." The reader only has to attend to the details of this plan for reorganization of the supreme court and overthrow of all war legislation, including the constitutional amendments, to see that it is not visionary, but entirely feasible. Given the power, and it can be and in all probability will be done. All know that the democratic party holds the amendments to be "unconstitutional, revolutionary and void." This is a solemn declaration made by that party in a national platform; and the analogy of the Indiana case shows how it may be enforced. Power only is wanting. The supreme court, which it is hoped to reorganize, is the key to the proposition; and the ante-war decisions of the supreme court show how that tribunal, when in sympathy with southern theories and purposes, may lend itself to their support. The danger, therefore, is by no means imaginary. Ascendancy of the democratic party means southern supremacy, and southern supremacy means renewal of the issues of state rights against national authority, with manifest danger to the peace of the country through an assault on the great settlements of the war,—an assault, indeed, under forms of law, but for that very reason more dangerous than an open attack of flagrant rebellion. Let no one suppose that the south, if it gets power in its hands, will hesitate to use it. Nor let it be imagined that General Hancock as president would stand as any real barrier against the scheme. For, in the first place, he would be controlled by his party, and in the next place we know from his career as a commander in the south that he is opposed to the reconstruction acts, negro suffrage and the constitutional amendments. In fact we know it by more positive proofs. In July, 1868, he wrote a letter to representative Glover of Missouri, indorsing the platform and candidates of the democratic party of that year, which platform declared all constitutional amendments, enfranchisement of negroes and the work of reconstruction, null and void; and he also specially approved Frank Blair's letter which urged that the army be sent to the south to undo the work of reconstruction. This letter was read a few days since by Secretary Thompson in the course of a speech at Denver, Colorado. It shows Gen. Hancock to be actually committed to the southern programme, as outlined above. That is, he is the candidate of the party which has fiercely declared all the settlements of the war as "unconstitutional, revolutionary and void," and he has himself specially approved that declaration. The people will pretty certainly conclude that the path of national safety and public peace does not lie that way. Gen. Frank Blair was as brave a union soldier as Gen. Hancock; and yet the country rejected Gen Blair and his policy. Why should it now support Gen. Hancock, who is committed to the same policy which the country then rejected with indignation and alarm? It is well to look out for the breakers ahead.

Oregon's population now exceeds that of Delaware, one of the original thirteen. By the next census it will pass two or three more of them.

SHOULD RISE TO EXPLAIN.

Mr. T. H. Cann, late clerk of the board of land commissioners, as yet consents to lie under the imputation of being a dishonest and dishonored man rather than make to the public statements which he has made in private, that the members of the board, his principals, had the money which was in default on his accounts, that they had had it, or a large portion of it ever since 1874, and that they never paid any part of it back till after the investigation had commenced, when they hurriedly made a payment of between eight and nine thousand dollars. Mr Cann's excuse for his silence and concealment of the facts from the public, as he himself has stated, is that "Grover has had a great deal of trouble, and he don't want to give him any more." Mr. Cann intimated in his evidence before the committee that Grover had always "been good to him,"—so much so that he was induced to pay Grover $1600 for a block of ground which he knew was not worth anything like it. But then Cann got the money easily, as he received $1800 as assistant secretary of state, though he himself testifies that he never rendered any service for it; so that this transaction in land of Grover's West Portland Homestead Association, seems to have been merely a means of passing the money over to Grover. Cann was only the "handy man" of the administration, to certify to anything that was required, as the fraudulent Walker certificate and other transactions show. They had him, as it appears, because he was simple, irresponsible, and would do whatever he was told. One of his "services" was to buying in warrants for the treasurer at a discount though he testifies that he himself got no benefit from it. Mr. Cann was the factotum of a set of very corrupt officials, and if he does not tell all he knows he can never clear his character of the reproach.

Once on a time an orator in a discourse on politics, education, social science and other large topics, hit off a certain feature of our system of higher education with the emphatic remark, "Shut up your colleges; we have oarsmen enough!" Now we find the New York *Times* saying: "There is nothing to be gained in concealing the shameful fact that there are at the present time in Yale college men who have never once entered a boat and have never held a base ball in their hand. How they have thus managed to shirk their duty and evade the laws of the college outside people do not know, but surely it is a reproach to the faculty that they should permit students whom their parents have sent to the college in the hope that they would become earnest Christian gentlemen, to waste their time in study and to form a debased taste for classics and science."

Several fanatical agitators are causing much excitement among the ignorant and superstitious in various parts of this country just now by predicting the end of the world this year. These religious sensationists come around pretty often, and the wonder is that there are foolish people to give them encouragement. We believe some of those apostles of the "end of the word" are now preaching at various places in Oregon and Washington. But while they are preaching the end of earthly things, they may be trusted to hold to earthly things with a pretty tight grip—showing that instinct if it has half a show will triumph over the abdication of reason.

From the St. Paul *Pioneer Press*, which has special advices as to the progress of work on the Northern Pacific railroad in Dakota, we learn that work was never before so active as at present. The company now operates 716 miles of road on its eastern division. Nearly 500 new cars of all descriptions have been ordered to meet the demands for transportation. Sixteen new locomotives have been added. Track has been laid a distance of 138 miles west of Bismarck, and no doubt is entertained of reaching the Yellowstone before cold weather sets in.

Some close friends of General Grant in Des Moines, Iowa, report that while there recently he talked in a way which showed that he was extremely anxious for republican success this fall, expressing the opinion that every republican should do his utmost to render the victory in November not only sure, but overwhelming. He believes, it is said, that there should be more thorough organization than ever before, and that all ranks and degrees of republicans should go into the work actively.

It looks now as if the result of the judicial inquiry into the management of state affairs under the late administration would bring Mr. Chadwick in debt to the state to a total of more than twenty thousand dollars. By the time these suits are ended the people will see clearly how grossly the late officials abused their trust. But we fear they will have small chance of recovering the money of which their treasury has been plundered.

Struggling authors may perhaps be comforted by the following rehearsal of familiar facts: "Thackeray was not known as an author until nearly forty. Scott was forty-three when 'Waverley' appeared. Richardson became an author at fifty-one. Defoe was fifty-eight when he wrote his first novel. 'Gil Blas' was not finished until the author was sixty-seven."

Illinois will probably still be a little behind Ohio in the census tables. The returns are not yet complete for either state, but the total for Ohio will not vary much from 3,200,000, while the tables for Illinois will foot up just about 3,100 000. So Illinois must wait ten years more before it can pass Ohio and take the rank it has been claiming as the third state.

The total population of Pennsylvania—subject to some slight corrections—is 4,226,099, against 3,521,951 in 1870. This is a gain of over 700,000—a prodigious increase for a state so old as Pennsylvania and already so densely populated.

The population of Utah is 143,590. Ten years ago it was 86,786. Utah would have been a state long since had it not been for its "peculiar institution," and its population would be double what it now is.

President Hayes purposes to attend the reunion of his old regiment in Ohio on the first of September, remain in Ohio a couple of weeks afterward, and then off for the Pacific coast.

A suspicious observer notes that the Tanner experiment to show how long a man can go hungry and not die is being watched with great interest by the democratic party.

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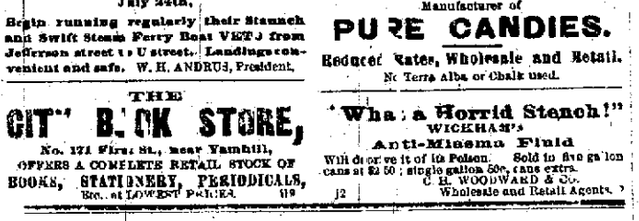

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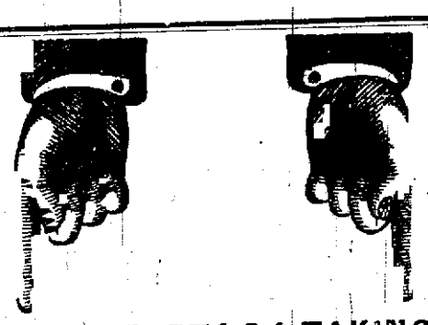

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Remnants Calicoes	Odd Lots Suits
Remnants Ginghams	Odd Lots Cloaks
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45 Summer Cloaks	4 50
70 Summer Cloaks	5 00
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FOR 30 DAYS.

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OVERSTOCKED.

The balance remaining of our recent purchases from Auctions in New York will be cleared out for the next 30 days, prior to annual stock-taking. Read the following as a sample of what we intend selling these goods for:

Lot 44 pieces Heavy Bleached Shirting to be sold at 5c per yard.
Lot 26 pieces Heavy Chevriot Shirting to be sold at 10c.
Lot 32 pieces Fancy Heavy Plaid Wincys to be sold at 10 and 12½c per yard.
Lot 26 pieces Heavy White Flannel, Solid, to be sold at 16, 18 and 20c.
Lot 18 dozen large size Bed spreads, soiled, to be sold at 75c, $1, $1 25.
50 pieces Heavy Corded White Pique 5c.
Best qualities 4-4 Wh shirtings, soft finish, 9, 10 and 10½c.
3 pieces Heavy Domett Ginghams at 5c.
5 pieces Heavy Table Linen (pure) at 25c.
150 dozen All Linen Table Napkins way down to One Dollar.
250 pieces Best Styles on 5 ft. Lattice Am. Prints 5c.
Bismark and Linen Huck Towels at a sacrifice.
5 pieces Nottingham Curtain Lace from 15c up. See them.
1 piece genuine 7-4 Turkey Red Table Damask, only 75c.
1 lot called White Blankets, large size, $ 50, 85 and $1 75 per pair—half price.
1 lot Ladies' Muslin Gauntlet to be sold for 25c each.
1 lot 120 dozen Assorted Hose—fancy, for children, all sizes for 5½c; good.
1 lot 40 dozen Ladies' Fancy and Colored, half price, at 10 and 12½c a pair.
1 lot 3 dozen Summer Shirts at 50c each. See them.

See our Dress Goods, Black Cashmeres, Black Silks, Colored Silks, Summer Silks at 50 and 62½c. Remnants Dress Goods, Remnants Ginghams Cloths, Flannels, Ticklings, etc., all to be cleaned out at any price. No reserve. Call early to secure bargains, at

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We will sell at Salesroom,

ON TUESDAY, JULY 27, AT 10 A. M.,

To close consignment.

25 Japanese Lounges,
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10 Spring Mattresses.

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Household Furniture of all Descriptions.

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MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF NOT less than $5000 and not to exceed $30,000, on gilt-edge security, on country or city property. Principals only need apply. Address Postoffice Box 517, Portland. j24d1m

MONEY TO LOAN.

$1000 $2000, $4000, $5000. INQUIRE OF T. A. WOOD & Co. j19d12t

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE

MR. JERE ALLIS WILL CONTINUE THE mill furnishing business formerly carried on under the firm name of Allis & Black. The business name of the firm will remain unchanged. Mr. Allis will also pay all demands against Allis & Black, and will collect all debts due. Mr. Black will remain with the house and attend to its business as heretofore. JERE ALLIS,

Portland, July 24, 1880 j26d1f F. M. BLACK.

ANY PERSONS INDEBTED IN ANY WAY to the firm of White & Giltner are hereby notified to call at No. 120 First st., Portland, Oregon, and settle within 30 days from this date. All securities will be sold after that time. j26

LOST.

LOST.

A SEAL TO A WATCH CHAIN, ONE SIDE onyx, reverse blood stone. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office or Henrichsen & Greenberg's. jy27d2t

LOST.

ON DECORATION DAY, A PACKAGE OF books marked "I. R. Moores No. 14 Dekum's building," the finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at M. Caballo's store on Front street. I. C. JOHNSON. jy21d10t

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Opposite Knapp, Burrell & Co's.

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Double and Single Breech-Loading SHOT-GUNS.

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Of every description and quality.

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Cascades Mountain Ice

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Cut last winter from Spring Water. Clear, Solid and Plenty for the Season.

12 Cents per Pound.

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Through Connections between Seattle and Port Gamble, Port Hope and Emory City, B. C.

THE STEAMER "J. B. LIBBY" WILL LEAVE Seattle every Monday morning at 7 o'clock, connecting at Whatcom with the "Northern Steamboat" for Sumas and Fraser river steamers for Fort Yale, Fort Hope and Emory City.

Parties wishing to save time and money should go by this route.

Fare from Seattle to Fraser River $8. For further particulars apply to

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jy24d4t Seattle, W. T.

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WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

WILL PURCHASE AND SELL REAL ESTATE, Merchandise and Furniture. Carriages, Buggies, Wagons, Harness and Horses a specialty.

WANTS.

WANTED—$800 FOR ONE YEAR ON GOOD security. Address M. H., this office. jy26d3t

A YOUNG MARRIED MAN WITH A SMALL CAPital wishes to enter as partner into some paying business. Address E, this office. jy26d3t

WANTED—A LIVE MAN WITH SOME CAPITAL to take charge of a mercantile business in the country about 8 miles from Portland. Parties may investigate at the expense of J. W. Address this office. jy22d3t

TEACHER.

A LADY POSSESSING TACT AND EDUCATION and having had long experience as a teacher wishes a change of employment. Superior references. Address H. S. H., Oregonian office. j26d3t

WANTED

MEN TO WORK ON THE OREGON RAILWAY and Navigation Company's Railroad between Celilo and Walla Walla. Laborers $1 50 per Board $4 50 per week. Apply to J. L. HALLS, Superintendent Construction, Headquarters John Day's, mouth of John Day's River, Or.

TO LET.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE NO 287 FOURTH ST., NEAR [illegible] Person. Inquire at 282 Fourth st

FOR RENT—HOUSE WITH EIGHT ROOMS and cellar, three bay windows, bath room and cold water on corner Ninth and [illegible] Enquire on premises. j22

TO LET.

A HOUSE, 8 ROOMS WITH MODERN improvements on Seventh street, between Stark and Clark streets. Apply to S. M. LYON, 1st street.

TO RENT—HOUSE OF SEVEN ROOMS, modern improvements. Also well furnished front bedroom for gentleman. Apply on First street, between Lincoln and Grant s.

HOUSE FOR RENT.

THE PACIFIC HOUSE—THE OLD AND Established Hotel in Vancouver, together with furniture and fittings. For particulars apply to Fletcher, attorney at law, Vancouver.

TO RENT.

A LARGE PLEASANT FRONT ROOM furnished, except carpet and curtains, and located. Address Box 680.

TO LET—A SUIT OF ROOMS AND OFFICE, room with bay window, closely furnished, newly fitted up in desirable locality; to let to man and his wife, or suitable for two men; references required. Address A, Alder street.

FOR RENT.

THE FIRST STORY NO 261, CORNER 3d and Madison street. Apply to C. G. Reed, No. 23, Grant and Seventh street.

FOR RENT.

A BRICK STORE, RENT REASONABLE, location excellent, on West side of Front, Portland. Enquire of T. A. WOOD & Co.

A FEW SELECT FURNISHED ROOMS, without board, for single gentlemen and wife, may be had by calling at the Third street, between Main and Ash. m5d6tf MRS. S. A. WOODARD Prop.

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A SMALL HOUSE, WITH 10 ROOMS, A modation for 6 or 8 boarders; good house full of good boarders 2 years; reason of selling, going east. For particulars call at this office.

FOR SALE AND CHEAP—A FARM OF [illegible] acres with preemptive right to [illegible] additional. Location near railroad, [illegible] and other [illegible] improvements; valuable and desirable property; leaving the state is the reason for selling. For further particulars apply to CLARKE & [illegible] Real Estate Agents and Architects, Union, Portland.

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CHEAP HOMES ON EASY TERMS FOR EVERYBODY IN THE COUNTY. For sale, East Portland. This Homestead is in the limits of East Portland, about 2 miles from the river, and just north of the [illegible] all the shops, roundhouses and machine shops will be for the N. P. R. R. [illegible] the present [illegible] much more than it will for [illegible] now being sold for. Also, a few [illegible] on installments of $10 each. On payments of [illegible] there will be given a good and sufficient bond for a deed when the last payment is made. The whole number of lots, 1020 [illegible] will be drawn by [illegible] lots [illegible] three months' notice of [illegible] drawing, which will take place by January 1st, 1881, at [illegible] convenient place in the City of Portland. Full notice of place and time will be given in the papers. There are only [illegible] in the county, one worth $1000, and one [illegible] Somebody will draw for $500 with [illegible] stand on. Bonds will be issued by the [illegible] Co., Monnastes' Block, [illegible] stairs, room [illegible] tate Office.

MACHINERY FOR SALE.

ONE 36 INCH [illegible] PLANER, FIVE Feet Bed; one 42 INCH [illegible] engine; several Second Hand [illegible]; Power Shears; one Roller for Rubber Shop; one Circular Cutoff Saw with shafting; [illegible] Foundry and other Machinery and Tools belonging to the Oregon Iron Works. [illegible] jy6tf SMITH BROS. & [illegible]

SAW-MILL MACHINERY FOR SALE.

THE MACHINERY IN SAW-MILL at Columbia river known as the Darby Mill, can be secured by certain. For [illegible] apply to HONEYMAN & CO.

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A GOOD HORSE, WEIGHT 1050, A good single or double horse, [illegible] dark dapple bay. Apply to [illegible]

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E. P. Carpenter's Imp'd Organ [illegible]

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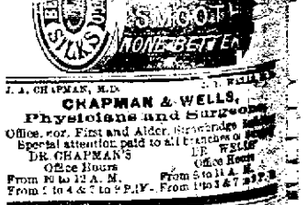
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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING JULY 23 1879

WEATHER PROBABILITIES

WASHINGTON July 22—12 00 A M—For North Pacific coast—Partly cloudy weather possibly occasional rain

CITY.

FAIRWEATHER'S FAST HORSE—Mr H W Fairweather formerly general passenger agent of the O S N Co now manager of the Walla Walla railroad bought a pair of handsome trotters last spring of which one was justly proud The following from a Walla Walla paper tells how one of the horses behaved On Tuesday evening last the horse attached to Mr Fairweather's buggy undertook to beat S Judson's time The effort was a common table one and the time was remarkable—and so was the ending In the course of time the proprietor came around and hearing the buggy carefully he espied a small knot hole and exclaimed I guess I'll build a new buggy around that hole as it is the only part that is intact

HOUSED—B A Bengtson and Oscar Volgist have been working at the Cascades locks for a year past together and their joint earnings some $900 the former kept his trunk in his cabin at that place One Andrew Trapp who had been working at the locks and stopping with the other two up to the 12th when he left and appeared at the 15 h and at the same time the money in trust with Bengtson was missing Trapp is a Swede pock marked rather tall in stature and had the appearance of being in ill health He had but slight knowledge of the English language The victim of Trapp's sudden taking off who are still at the Cascades offer $100 for the delinquent party and the cash

PUT IN TRIM—A number of painters are employed in touching up certain portions of the new steamer *Columbia* while the incessant clatter of the caulkers hammers are heard above the busy hum of the men discharging freight The cabin and staterooms are being cleaned and brightened up and made to fairly shine Commodore Bolles proposes to have his new ship put her best foot forward when thrown open to public inspection By the time the freight is all out the *Columbia* will be ready for inspection and examination This will probably be about next Wednesday due notice of which will be given

HUMAN BONES EXHUMED—A number of human bones were unearthed yesterday by a force of laborers who were engaged in excavating for the foundation of a new brick building on the east side of First street between Yamhill and Taylor The collection includes five grinning skulls which evidently belonged to the Indians from their shape A portion of a decayed box and a bottle were found with the skeletons, showing the burial to have taken place since the occupation of the country by the whites The point where the discovery was made was doubtless used by the natives in former times as a burial ground

REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS—During the present vacation the board of school directors are having some long needed repairs and improvements made to Central and North school buildings In Central school the glass partitions in the upper story have been removed and the general arrangement of the rooms modified This improvement has long been necessary in order to meet with the requirements of the school A I the carpenter work will be completed before the resumption of studies in September A new hall is also being constructed in the North school building and other repairs made

THE RIFLE TEAM—The department team of ten, as selected by competitive contest on the 19th 20th and 21st instants, the holder of the department and division prize medals for last year and the six contestants next in merit to the members of the team on the general score (alternates), will proceed, under the command of Captain Moses Harris 1st cavalry by the steamer *State of California* to the headquarters military division of the Pacific, Presidio of San Francisco, California, and report to the assistant adjutant general of the division for instructions relative to further rifle contests.

OBTAINED THE CONTRACT—Capt. James E Denny, who had command of the *Alex Duncan* for some time will leave here this morning for Astoria. Capt. D. has been given the contract of conveying a large quantity of stone from Astor a to Tillamook Rock, which will be used in the construction of a lighthouse there He has chartered the schooner *Rocky Stevens*, which has just completed loading lumber at Weidler's mill and will go down to day It will probably require a month or longer to complete the contract

DISCHARGED. FREIGHT—A large force of men is engaged in discharging freight from the new steamship *Columbia* Two large barges have been hauled alongside the steamer and the freight is being hoisted from the hold and placed on the barges. The work of discharging progresses very slowly, as the freight is mostly railroad materials—car wheels locomotives, tenders and rails—and can be handled only with much difficulty A week or more will be required to complete the work of discharging the cargo

SCHOLARSHIPS—Mr Walton, secretary of the board of regents of the state university has written a let er to Mr. Macrum, superintendent of public instruction for Multnomah test there are nine vacant scholarships from this county At the last commencement seven pupils who were appointed from this county graduated As yet there have been no applications for scholarships in the state university, and consequently the county court has not been able to make any appointments

MINIATURE STEAMBOAT—There was exhibited on this bow of the *Gallopo* lying at the foot of Morrison street yesterday, a perfect model of a stern wheel steamboat The boat is 12 feet long, beam 32 inches, finely proportioned and no part from the keel to the pilot house missing It was made by Chas. Dustin of Columbia slough during leisure hours for his amusement The boat attracted much attention and many compliments from handreds who saw her

GOES SCOUTING—Mr J W Reddington who for some time has been "mosquito ating, antimony in THE OREGONIAN office will leave this morning for Umatilla, where he will join Lieut Farrow's scouting party mention of which was made in these columns yesterday Mr Reddington proposes to be absent several months and if he doesn't lose his own scalp expects to come back with various trophies of the campaign dangling from his wampum

STRUCK IN THE FACE—Yesterday morning a man named J Johnson a Scandinavian who is employed at the East Portland car shops met with a very painful mishap He thoughtlessly stepped on a broken plank near the shops one end of which suddenly springing up and struck him violently over the right eye The end was very sharp and a deep gash was cut Medical aid was invoked and the gash was sewed up

A NEW STEAMER—Mr R D Hume is now building a very neat little steamer at Rogue river which will be ready to launch about the middle of October This steamer will be propelled by a screw and will be able to accomplish about 11 knots per hour She will have a registered capacity of 40 tons The new steamer is intended to run between ports along the coast even coast of the state

BRIDE PRICED—Messrs. D I Thompson and M S Burrill the owners of New Market block are having the iron and woodwork treated to a new and handsome coat of paint These buildings have not been painted for five all years and the paint now on the effects of sunshine storms and dust A new coat of paint will materially enhance the appearance of this very handsome block

THE RIVER—The Columbia and Snake rivers are both slowly falling The Willamette is now — feet and 3 10ths above extreme low water mark From the highest point reached this season the river has fallen two feet and two inches The Willamette is going down at the rate of about three inches every 24 hours

FAMILY ROW—Last night three Frenchmen who have been exhibiting two bears on the streets indulged in a hair pulling eye blacking source on Second street between A and B over financial matters and were all locked in the city jail to answer the charge of disorderly conduct

PROPOSED PRINTERS PICNIC—H W Cushing chairman of the executive committee of 1879 has called a meeting of the printers of this city to be held at The Esmond Thursday afternoon at half past four to arrange for a picnic this year

MATTESON'S CONDITION—Alex Matteson the man stabbed by Mrs Lynch Monday night stop well all evening and all morning In the afternoon he was conveyed to St Vincent's hospital on a stretcher and rested easy until midnight It is still thought by physicians that he can not possibly recover The await the result of Matteson's wound the trial of Mrs Lynch has been set for Friday afternoon at 10 o'clock

A BOAT RACE PROBABLE—It is reported that Mr Jacob Kamm owner of the *Lurline* went to the office of the O R & N Co and proposed to run a boat race against the *Hayward* for $1000 a side for any distance agreed upon One of the officers of the company proposed to raise the wager to $2 000 when Kamm said he would agreed to put the *Lurline* up as a stake against the *Hayward* in a race and that the offer had been accepted

CLUB MEETING—This (Wednesday) evening there will be a meeting of the Garfield Arthur Club No 1 at Good Templar Hall at the corner of Third and Alder streets The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock Speeches will be made by Hon J W Watson and others Music will be furnished by the Glee Club Ladies are specially invited

SEVERE FALL—A Mr Miller who resides in Beaverton Washington county had the misfortune to fall from a ladder a few days ago and sustained very severe bruises He is rapidly recovering, and will soon be around again

WOOL THIEF—Yesterday afternoon John Clymer was arrested and lodged in jail charged with stealing 194 pounds of wool from a farmer on Lewis river His hearing will take place this afternoon

POSTPONED—The steamer *Co lumbia* will not sail for Astoria and way ports 10th Saturday July 31st at 7 o'clock P M The steamer has been announced to sail hence Friday morning

SHIPPING NOTES.

Steamer *Elder* due

Rather cool at the seaside

Strong indications of rain

The crop of crime is abundant

Mercury is not so high minded

Picnics rather scarce this season

Farmers will soon be in the midst of harvest

State circuit court will adjourn in a few weeks

Making dirt pies is a favorite pastime with little street arabs

The new roof of the Taylor street M E. church is finished

Taxpayers hand in your statements to Assessor Sears He wants them at once

The steamer *Oregon* will sail from San Francisco for Portland next Friday morning

Capt. Jones, of the railroad ferry handles his boat like a toy He is master of the situation.

The contract for laying Belgian pavement along Front street is crowding the work forward

THE OREGONIAN'S new power press has been taken lately from the steamer *Columbia* and now lies on the wharf

The following telegrams are at W U T Co uncalled for R W Thompson, Sergeant Charles Davis Louis Marquardt and J Clark

The average East Portland lad doesn't have much of a chance now The new ordinance keeps him within doors after 9 o'clock in the evening

PERSONAL

Mr Sol. Abraham and sons, of Roseburg, are at the St. Charles

Mr P Selling has gone to California on his usual business trip which will consume at least a month

Mr Alfred Holman, of THE OREGONIAN leaves this morning for Ilwaco to ascertain whether the sea air will act as an antidote for malaria He will be absent about a week

Mr Denis de Porte, a prominent millowner of Heppner, returned recently from a trip to France and Germany, which extended over eighteen months and is registered at the Esmond He will leave for Heppner in a few days

Mr [Daniel E Bandmann the German tragedian, and Miss B audet returned from Walla Walla Monday evening, after a brief but highly successful professional dramatic season there They were passengers on the outgoing steamer sailing yesterday From San Francisco Mr Bandmann will proceed at once to Australia and return from there to England He will be accompanied by Miss Beaudet

Mr Charles E Sitton and wife will be passengers on the steamer *Geo W Elder*, which will sail hence next Sunday morning On arriving at San Francisco they will proceed to Chicago where Mr Sitton goes to attend the grand demonstration by the Knight Templars. He will then visit Detroit to attend the convention of the Grand Chapter Accompanied by his wife, Mr Sitton will then visit the principal eastern cities They expect to be absent about three months

THE COURTS.

U S CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY, July 22, 1879

Revett vs W V B R. Co—Demurrer overruled on perpetual injunction as prayed in bill

United States vs Griswold—Order for commissioners to take testimony for plaintiff

Court adjourned until 10 o'clock A. M. of to-morrow, Wednesday July 23, 1879

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

Hampton Kelly vs H W Davis—Motion for judgment upon the pleadings argued and submitted

Tittlebaugh for vs H F Bloch et al—Argued and submitted.

McLaren vs Kelly—Time in which to file motion for new trial enlarged until Friday noon

George Herral et al vs H A. Meiers et al—Motion for the appointment of a receiver allowed George Herrall appointed

Spencer vs Fleischner—Cause on trial

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture Report for the last 24 hours.

PORTLAND July 22 7.57 P M

Places of Observation	Height of Barom.	Change last 3 Hours.	Ther	Direc tion	Wind Velo city	Rain fall inches	State of weath.
Portland	30 06	—05	60	SW	10		Cloudy
Olympia	30 06	—01	60	W	00		Cloudy
Roseburg	30 02	—05	64	N	00		Clear
Red Bluff	29 82	—09	86	N	00		Clear
Sacramento	29 80	—10	68	SW	00		Clear
Umatilla	29 94	—06	72	SW	00		Clear
Lewiston	29 92	—13	67	E	00		Cloudy

Note—Observations made at Lewiston and Umatilla at 11 57 A M

For the best fitting, dress suit call at Mrs Pilger's the leading suit and cloak house First street near Morrison

Seasonable time for rubbing can be had and Molson's is just the kind

Peter Wilhelm rents supreme at the Gem in Astoria Call and see him

Don't import beer when a fine article like Molson's is to be had

Ladies if you wish a real nice and neat fitting shoe ask for J N SMITH's goods

Get your pictures framed at Simon Harris the cheapest place in the city

Ladies don't read this if you don't wish to buy some of the best and choicest candy and confectionery at the Willamette candy factory No 132 First between Salmo and Main

NO NECESSITY

To go any longer without a timepiece Sit now buy a good Swiss watch for $5 cheaper than ever before two years a by M FRIEDLANDER 55 First street

Parties going to Astoria the Seaside or Tunity will do well to leave order for daily weekly and monthly papers at Adler's book and variety store Astoria

If you wish a well made boot or shoe at reasonable rates go to Harris Morrison and examine the James & Hodges Parlor with sliding seats at their

Oregon Iron Works at Albina, Or SMITH BROS & WATSON

CENSUS RETURNS FOR OREGON.

POPULATION OF THE STATE 175 5 5

An Increase of 84 612 Over 93 Per Cent in Ten Years.

Wonderful Growth of Population in the Eastern Counties—The Census of Principal Towns, etc

Numerous returns from every district in the state have been received by Mr H E Sukadorf census supervisor The following table gives the population by counties also the enumeration for 1870

Counties	1880	1870
Baker	3 681	2 811
Benton	6 551	6 181
Clackamas	9 28	9 201
Clatsop	6 02	4 255
Columbia	2 645	66
Coos	4 813	4 644
Curry	1 21	94
Douglas	5 660	4 666
Gilliam	1 01	2 81
Grant	3 197	1 201
Jos phine	2 493	1 294
Lake	1 807	
Lane	9 5 6	8 476
Linn	7 11	8 1
Marion	14 801	9 6
Multnomah	25 148	11 10
Polk	6 538	4 01
Tillamook	998	668
Umatilla	9 461	2 6
Union	6 0	2 5
Wasco	10 2 8	2 09
Washington	7 31	4 261
Yamhill	7 256	5 012
Totals	1 5 5 5	90 923

Lake county was not formed in 18 0 It was then a part of Jackson

Clatsop county shows the largest proportionate gain viz from 1255 to 6025 over 318 per cent Wasco comes next having increased from 2869 to 10 228 over 307 per cent Polk and Benton show the smallest increase 38 per cent The five counties east of the Cascades Baker Grant Umatilla Union and Wasco have increased from 14 632 population in 1870 to 35 345 this year—over 141 per cent, the six southern counties Coos Curry Douglas Jack on Jo ephine and Lake from 14 736 to 29 0 3—over 97 per cent Clatsop Columbia and Tillamook from 2570 to 8878—251 per cent the nine counties in the Willamette valley from 61 169 to 102 231—over 67 per cent

Principal Cities and Towns.

1	Portland	16049	10	Jacksonville	856
2	East Portland	2808	11	Albany City	834
3	Salem	4100	12	Roseburg	822
4	Astoria	2753	13	Canyon City	96
5	The Dalles	2506	14	McMinnville	623
6	Albany	1871	15	Dallas	521
7	Oregon City	1135	16	Dayton	442
8	Eugene	1138	17	Union	419
9	Corvallis	1128			

*In the above table the Chinese population of Astoria and Portland is not included The Chinese residents of Astoria number as near as can be estimated 898 and those of Portland 4500

The population of Salem North Salem South Salem and East Salem is as follows 2080 but about 900 live outside of the city limits These 900 though not a part of the city corporation are tributary to Salem in commerce and social life and the 900 be reckoned a part of Salem's population

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A B Leasner and husband to O P Randall, July 22 1880 lot 6 blk 263 Albina add East Portland—$325

Jason S Clark and wife to J R Curry, July 26 1880 lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 blk 62 Tibbetts' add, East Portland—$1620.

August Klostermann et al to J O Donnell lot 8, blk 13 Couch's add July 3 1850—$800

RELEASES

Sarah Dormus to D W Dould July 27 1878 80 acres, sec 31, T 1 N R 2 E—$200

J R Curry to J S Clark June 19 1880 lots 1 2 7 and 8 blk 3 Tibbetts add—$500

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Hundreds who passed Ackerman's Dollar Store on First street yesterday paused to look at and admire the very attractive display of values in the show window There are every imaginable size and variety and at prices too, which can not fail to secure purchasers

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NEWS NOTES FROM EUGENE.

EUGENE CITY July 19 1880

Farmers are very busy now.

It is feared the recent heavy spell will somewhat affect the hop crop as the vines do not seem to grow quite as much as of former years

Dr H Ellsworth leaves to-day for a trip to Union county for his health Mr Jas per Stevens has charge of the drug business at this place

Mr Thil Metz of San Francisco who is regarded as excellent authority in all matters of the purity of hops states in his last circular that of the various kinds of hop offered for sale in the San Francisco market last year that of Oregon ranks the first Washington territory comes next then California This is indeed a flattering testimonial in favor of the Willamette valley as the bulk of the hops raised in Oregon comes from this county

Work reaches us that on yesterday a very distressing case occurred on the Mohawk Forest road between John Cartwright and a German named Mendo concerning some hay that was growing on disputed land Mendo was engaged in cutting the hay with a scythe when Cartwright appeared on the ground and disputed for the ownership of the land and the hay growing thereon Mendo told Cartwright to go away or he would cut off his head with the scythe words to this effect Cartwright who was armed with a double barrel shotgun fired two shots at Mendo but missed him Cartwright then reparted to a house near by and obtained an shotgun loaded with buckshot and came up with Mendo within fifteen paces of where Mendo stood Mendo who was then forking the hay stopped his work and stood using his fork in the ground as a defense, on the handle asked Cartwright Well what are you going to do about it? You have fired two shots at me but missed me Cartwright responded by saying I'll show you what I will do and instantly leveled his gun and shot Mendo A part of the charge almost cut the fork handle in two and the other portion entered Mendo bowels cutting them open Mendo died from the effects of the wound

SKILLED MARKSMEN SELECTED

By order of the department commander Gen O O Howard Lieut Samuel C Robertson 1st cavalry is assigned to duty with the detachment of marksmen and Indian scouts organized at department headquarters and will report in person to 2d Lieut Edward S Farrow 21st infantry commanding detachment

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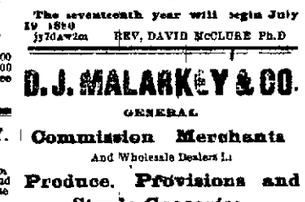

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ASSETS:

Real Estate		$ 87 912 00
Loans on Real Estate first liens		580 295 00
Judgment lien secured by Real Estate		46 000 00
Collateral Loans		47 100 00
Premium Notes		68 264 32
Bonds owned by Company		43 250 00
Cash in Bank and Company's Office		6 139 02
Bills Receivable		64 295 00
Agents Balances		13 102 68
Guarantee Notes		21 262 22
Furniture and Fixtures		226 00 00
Personal Accounts		10 414 00
Loans on Real Estate second liens		16 477 32
Interest Due and Accrued		900 00
Agency and Office Supplies		26 29 72
Premiums in Process of Collection	$66 627 08	3 000 00
Premiums Deferred	17,971 12	
	$84 598 20	
Deduct Loading	11 079 64	44 518 56
Total Assets		$1,286 999 72

LIABILITIES:

Net present value of all outstanding policies, computed according to the American mortality with interest at 4½ per cent	$ 842,548
Losses in process adjustment and 1 0 due and unclaimed endowments not called for 22,466	865,014 00
Gross Surplus to Policy Holders	$321 985 72
Gross Surplus December 31st 1878	349,984 42
Increase in Surplus for year ending December 31st 1879	$ 32,851 30

The business of THE PACIFIC MUTUAL for 1879 was fully up to the general standard, and equal to the best situations of its friends It paid all maturing liabilities promptly and increased its gross surplus $32 851 30 Its receipts from premiums were $316 774 26 its interest receipts were $76 092 32; and from other sources it received $1 626 87 making a total income for the year $394 493 45 The total amount paid during the year for death losses was $70 458 89 and for matured endowments $128 75 etc.

With December 31st 1879 the Company closed its eleventh year and in no single particular can evidence on record in which a life insurance company in the eleventh year of its existence was enabled to pay its death losses from interest receipts, but only was this done, but in addition thereto a considerable surplus remained.

Insurance Commissioner's Office.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 28, 1880.

A FREAK OF FATE.

Such a delightful place as it was—Mrs. Sylvester's drawing-room, with its ruddy glow from the grating, sending warm lances of light all over the cream-and-crimson carpet; the raw silk furniture of cream and pale blue and crimson; the velvet and satin-lined drapery at the four French windows; and all the numberless objects of elegance and luxury that went to make it such a charming place.

It was six o'clock of a March night, bleak and blustering outside, with streets filled with flying dust, and Mrs. Sylvester leaned back in her chair, with a sigh of selfish comfort, as she held the Japanese screen between her delicate face and the ardent fire.

She was a handsome woman, who wore diamonds and velvet as a queen wears her royal robes; a wealthy woman used to command and control; haughty and dogmatic in her positiveness.

And this evening she was in her most positive, imperious mood, as she sat there making her decision about Theo Vincent. Then she rang for lights, and by the servant sent a message for Miss Vincent to wait upon her as soon as Master Garnier and Miss Giralda could dispense with her services.

It was ten minutes later when Theo obeyed the summons, and came into Sylvester's presence—a slender, pale-faced girl of sixteen or seventeen, with lovely brown eyes, soft as velvet, and a great mass of brown hair on her small, graceful head—a delicate, refined, thoughtful-looking girl, who bore the indisputable traces of having worked almost beyond her strength.

She came quietly near to Mrs. Sylvester, and stood awaiting that lady's pleasure.

"I sent to have a word with you on a subject very distasteful to me, indeed, Miss Vincent," Mrs. Sylvester began, coldly. "I refer to a display of forwardness and boldness on your part toward certain gentlemen I might name, which has been called to my attention more than once. I desire to say that I shall not tolerate any further attempts on your part, Miss Vincent, to flirt with gentleman visiting at the house—notably with Doctor Pennington— Ah, do not interrupt me, and I am indignantly sorry to say, my son also!"

"Mrs. Sylvester, you—"

Theo attempted to gasp her protest; but the cold relentless voice resolutely hushed her.

"Denials are more than useless, Miss Vincent. It is a notorious fact that you, a mere servant, a common nursery-governess and seamstress, boldly attempted to engross Doctor Pennington's attention last night, and on one or two evenings last week, when you were ordered to attend the children in the drawing-room. Again, upon more than one occasion, you have inveigled my son into conversation with you—you, whom his mother hires as a servant! Miss Vincent, I have—"

Theo was standing there white and shivering, her eyes full of a horrified mortification and insulted pride.

"Mrs. Sylvester," she interrupted, hotly, "I cannot permit you to launch such a torrent of abuse at me. It is not true that I have tried to flirt with your guests or your son. Doctor Pennington spoke to me and I answered, as any one would have done. As to your son—"

And her lips curled involuntarily—a gesture which did not escape Mrs. Sylvester's eyes.

"We will not discuss the subject further. You have acted disgracefully, and, in justice to my little, innocent children, I have decided to remove you from your care over them. You are discharged from to-night, and, in place of a month's notice, you can have a month's wages—as is my custom with all my servants. As to a character," and the cold eyes took a malicious look at the pale, trembling girl, "of course that is out of the question. You are excused, Miss Vincent."

She pushed a role of bills toward her, but Theo did not touch it. Instead, her face grew suddenly cold and haughty, and she walked out without a syllable of further protest."

And, somehow, Mrs. Sylvester realized that she had done something more than simply discharge a servant.

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"It's a shame—a burning shame!" Aunt Ibby said, indignantly. "It seems to me that nowadays the rich do nothing but grind the poor. You poor child you—don't cry any more about it! That Sylvester woman isn't any very great shakes herself you take my word for it, or she'd not be thinking such things about you. Don't cry, Theo. Chirk up, and we'll go out for a walk to Central Park this afternoon, eh?"

But Theo did not "chirk up, nor did she go with dear old Aunt Ibby for a walk to Central Park. "Instead she had cried and worried herself into a hot fever that defied all home remedies—a fever that ran higher and hotter, until even Aunt Ibby thought it was best to send for a doctor; and a doctor was sent for by little Tim Maguffin, next floor above.

"And be quick about it, too," she said, slipping a penny in his grimy little paw. "You can run around to Doctor Perry's office in a few minutes, I know, and tell him to come right around."

But Doctor Perry wasn't home—out of town for several days—and Tim's wits were puzzled to know whether, as long as Miss Theo was so awfully sick, one doctor wasn't just as good as another; and in that full belief, he rushed off for his mother's family physician, to find Doctor Callender also not available.

And then, to stand disconsolately on a street corner, wondering what on earth would become of Miss Theo, just as a doctor's carriage passed him—evidently a doctor's, and a well-to-do one, too, as witness the colored man with folded arms, the proud-stepping horse, the handsome robe.

And ragged little Tim, all unaware he was an instrument of unalterable fates, succeeded in attracting Doctor Pennington's attention.

"Say, you! your wanted down to Miss Theo Vincent's—No. 86 Pollard street—sharp, too! Goin?"

Theo Vincent! Clyde Pennington was surprised, and, conscious of a pleasurable sensation along with it.

"All right, my boy! I'll be there before you are."

And sure enough, when Tim reached home, there stood the doctor's carriage at the door, an object of envious admiration for a score of urchins; while Doctor Pennington was sitting in Aunt Ibby's snug little parlor, explaining the cause of his appearance, and listening to her account of Theo's illness.

"And now, if you'll allow me to see my patient," he said.

And then he went in, to find Theo delirious and talkative, and entirely unconscious.

"Of course it is not true," she said, as he sat down beside the pure white cot. "I never flirted with Mr. Harry Sylvester, or Doctor Pennington, either. It wasn't fair of her to turn me off without a character, was it? And Aunt Ibby and I are so poor!"

And although he knew there was no recognition in her bright eyes, still his face flushed.

"She is very sick," he said, gravely, "I will see her again this afternoon, Mrs. Bley."

That was the beginning of their friendship; and when, three months later, Theo was sufficiently recovered to accept a situation as traveling companion to a society lady, she knew that her most valued friends in all the world was Doctor Pennington

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A perfect afternoon, even for *la belle* Paris, and Mrs. Sylvester, leaning back in her chair besides the window of her *grande salon*, thought that life in the gay city was the one thing desirable, and would be the one thing most glorious, were it not for her son Harry.

For her son, her darling, her chief pride, for whom nothing in all the world was too good, for whom marriageable maidens and shrewd mothers had angled visibly and invisibly who never yet had been disappointed or thwarted in all his life, was in a state of desperation and distress that made Mrs. Sylvester wonder, in agitation and dismay, what would be the result of it all.

And "it all" meant that Harry Sylvester was in love with Mrs. Van Rensellier's charming young friend and companion—our own Theo Vincent, whom two years before Mrs. Sylvester had turned out of doors.

"She will not listen to me," "Harry had said to his mother, before he went out that afternoon. "I tell you I must have her answer—her favorable answer, too—before another twenty four hours goes over my head, mother. Unless I get her for my wife, I'll shoot myself just as sure as fate. I love her—by George! I never cared so much for anything or anybody before, and it's only the memory of your cruel treatment of her—the feeling that she thinks you would not sanction an engagement—that keeps us apart!"

"You think that?" she said, tremblingly—a little dismayedly.

"I know it," he answered, hotly. "She is gracious and kind, but beyond that, I tell you her just pride restrains her. See her, mother, if you want to do me a favor—if you don't want to have me brought in dead some time—you will go and tell her you want her for your daughter."

And Mrs. Sylvester knew as she looked upon her son's handsome, haggard face, that, even if it killed her to so humble herself, she must do it for his sake.

"It is awfully cruel of you," she said, piteously, and he had interrupted her, firmly:

"You can take your choice—Theo Vincent for your daughter, or—get along without me."

"Harry!"

"I mean it. She won't refuse me, if you ask her. By Jove! she is the only woman in the world I shall ever ask. She shall accept me!"

"I think there is no danger of her refusing such an offer," she said, a little of the old scornfulness in her voice.

"Of course you will go," he answered, decidedly. "When I come back at seven to dinner, I will hear what you have to say from her."

Then he had gone, and Mrs. Sylvester had sat in trouble and dismay, thinking it all out, wondering how she could accomplish her errand, and yet not sacrifice her pride—how she could conciliate Theo Vincent, and yet give her to understand it was an honor she had come to offer her.

She ordered her carriage, and dressed in a most elaborate toilet, was driven to Mrs. Van Rensellier's, where, surrounded by wealth and refinement, Theo Vincent had won her way to her heart, and been made not only the confidential friend, but the beloved daughter and choice companion.

As Mrs. Van Rensellier's friend, society opened its most exclusive doors, and our little Theo had found herself, almost unconsciously a pet and favorite in pleasant social circles, where her personal attractiveness, her sweet winsomness, her refined intelligence, held the position given her.

And Harold Sylvester had renewed his acquaintance with his mother's discharged governess, and—

This was the result—Mrs. Sylvester waiting in Mrs. Van Rensellier's parlor for Theo Vincent to come, with whom she was to plead in her son's behalf.

It seemed like some impossible burlesque, as she waited, and there was a sharp struggle within her between pride and love for her son—that idol and darling who never had been denied, and who ruled her with a rod of iron:

For his sake. Only, sorely for his sake. And then Theo Vincent came in, a vision of elegance and loveliness, and sweetness, in her soft white dress.

She greeted Mrs. Sylvester in a courteous way and then waited inquiringly, and perhaps, just a trifle haughtily.

And Mrs. Sylvester rushed at once into her errand.

"No doubt you will be quite surprised to receive messages that are delivered personally, Miss Vincent. But, as I am willing to remove any obstacle from the way to my son's happiness, I determined that in no better way could the accomplishment of his wishes be decided than by my coming in a perfectly friendly way to you."

She certainly had not sacrificed her dignity, and certainly had spoken very well.

And Theo, her face expressive of surprise, listened.

"I think I do not at all understand, you, Mrs. Sylvester. You have evidently undertaken some commission, for your son, but what might I inquire?"

This from the girl she disgraced? But she put the curb on herself, and went blandly on, for her boy's sake:

"Your delicacy certainly does you credit. I cannot express how delightfully charming I find it, my dear Miss Vincent. Yes, I am commissioned by my son to make you an offer of his hand, his name, his position, his affections. And, Miss Vincent, if you will charitably permit me, I cordially endorse whatever will conduce to Harold's happiness."

And, for the first time in her life, Mrs. Sylvester realized that she had—eaten humble-pie.

A curious little look swept over Theo's face

"Will you tell Mr. Sylvester, for me, please, that in the society in which I move, it is not customary for gentlemen to do their proposals of marriage by proxy? Will you also be kind enough to tell him that under any circumstances I could not possible consider his offer? And will you inform him that I have been engaged to Doctor Clyde Pennington for the past three months? And, as Mrs. Van Rensellier's carriage is waiting, and I have an engagement at half past five, be so good as to excuse me, Mrs. Sylvester."

And so Theo's turn came, and like a young duchess, she bowed to the woman who had, all unconsciously, been her fate. While Mrs. Sylvester went back to her son.

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But as a year afterward, Mrs. Doctor Pennington, sitting in her luxurious parlor on Fifth Avenue, read aloud to Aunt Ibby the notice of Harold Sylvester's marriage it was self evident he did not commit the suicide he threatened—unless, rushing into marriage with a pretty girl, after a month's acquaintance, be considered as such.

A correspondent at Hood river writes: "How is it that certain persons can occupy thousands of acres and upwards of public lands to the exclusion of others, while I find it difficult to hold with certainty more than 80 acres." It is probable the writer has not taken proper and efficient methods. It relation to his own rights and those of others.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

[By Telegraph.]

SAN FRANCISCO July 27.—Sterling ex bankers' 60 days 4 12 @ 13; sterling exchange on London, documentary, 49 14 @ 16.

Treasure $6.

NEW YORK July 27.—Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per fine ounce 1 14½

Sterling Exchange, prime bankers' long, $1 83; short 30 days good commercial from 1 to ½c lower; documentary 2 to 1½c lower.

U. S. Bonds—ex of '81, 103¾; 4's, 111¾; 4s, 104¾. LONDON, July 26—Consols, 98 1-16 money.

Silver, English standard, per fine ounce 945 fine, 52¾.

U. S. Bonds—5s of 81, 103¾; 4½'s, 114½; 4s, 112¾. NEW YORK, July 27.—Silver bars, 114¼; money 2@2½; government strong; stocks closed firm; Western Union, 106¾; quicksilver, 15½; Pacific, 63½; Mariposa, 15½; Wells Fargo, 103½; N. Y. Central, 135¾; Erie, 43¾; Panama, 176; Union Pacific, 91¾; 6's, 116; Central Pacific, 75¾; bonds, 112½; Sixes, 136

NEW YORK July 27—Petroleum—Dull; united pipe, 91¼; refined, 9; crude, 7@7½.

Business matters in the home market are about in the same situation as at our last report, transactions in financial circles aggregating about the usual volume for the season. There is no special call from any direction and the banks are in supply adequate to meet the wants of their regular customers, which is readily done on the usual terms.

There is nothing new in regard to wheat, the markets abroad being substantially unchanged, while the amount of local trade is insignificant.

Flour is coming forward in quantities sufficient to meet the wants of the trade which is locally tolerably active, while the demand for export is only moderate. The San Francisco quotations are no sufficient to justify shipments thence and hence Oregon is sending but little to that market at present.

Oats are steady and supplies are readily taken at current quotations.

The wool trade has apparently received a slight check, buyers operating more cautiously under advices from the east. Prices offered are 1@2 cents under the buying figures of a week ago. Other products unchanged.

Some negotiations are pending for charters for the coming wheat crop, though but few vessels, as far as we can learn, have as yet closed engagements. Iron vessels to Cork or the United Kingdom for orders cannot be obtained at less than 6s.

Chicago Grain Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CHICAGO, July 27.—Wheat—Steady and lower for cash; 90c cash, 87¾c August, 85¾c September

Corn—Firmer; 35½c cash July, 34¼c bid August and September.

Oats—Weak and lower; 21½c cash, 22½ August.

Rye, Barley and Whisky—Unchanged.

Liverpool Grain Market.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

LIVERPOOL, July 27.—Breadstuffs market quiet and steady. Receipts of wheat past three days 260 000 centals, including 190,000 centals American.

Philadelphia Wool Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—Wool firmer, but prices not higher, demand better.

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.

Receipts—19,000 ctls wheat, 1500 qr sks flour, 5000 sks potatoes, 7500 doz eggs.

Butter is firm at an advance; demand is good and supplies are light; good to choice, 36c.

Eggs—Market is lower; supplies are light; demand is good; good California, 23@24c.

Wool—Market is quiet but very firm; market unfavorably affected by eastern advices; sales of Eastern Oregon, choice qualities, reported at 27c

Salmon—Market very dull; buyers bid lower; holders not disposed to make concessions.

Bags—Machine sewed—Market is steady at 10½@10¾c

Wheat—Firm; demand is good. There were few sales at current rates.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 27.

Wheat—87¾c for August.
Pork—$16 for August.
Lard—$7 30 for August.
Short Ribs—$7 45.
Long Ribs—$7 55 asked.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, July 27.

Wheat—Unsettled
Flour and Wool—Quiet
Hides—Active and firm.
Petroleum—Dull and lower.
Hops—More active; sales medium at 30@33½c; choice, 36c.
Pork—More active, advanced 25c
Lard—More active, at an advance of 7 @ 10c
Spirits of Turpentine—Firmer.
Hardware—Good demand.

BEERBOHM

LONDON, July 27.

Floating cargoes wheat quiet; maize dearer; cargoes on passage inactive. Red winter 6 months 38 6 per 480 lbs; Med., Ch., or Mil., 38s @ 38s 6d; Cala., 40s. Arrivals off coast, wheat moderate, maize small. Weather in England showery. Liverpool spot wheat firm. Corn rather easier.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ASTORIA, July 26.—Arrived—Br bk Strathcarron, 21 days P. M., from Victoria; brt North Bend, at 9 P. M. Clear; Wind strong nor'west.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—Arrived—S s Victoria, Nanaimo; ss Geelie Jing Kong.

Sailed—Str Alaska, Cape Boy; ship Laura May, Coos Bay.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Arrived—Str Colon, Aspinwall.

LIVERPOOL, July 26.—Arrived—Ship Nebo, San Francisco.

MELBOURNE, July 24.—Arrived—Ship W. L. Beebe, San Francisco.

QUEENSTOWN, July 26.—Arrived—Str America, San Francisco.

PANAMA, July 20.—Arrived—Str City of Panama, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

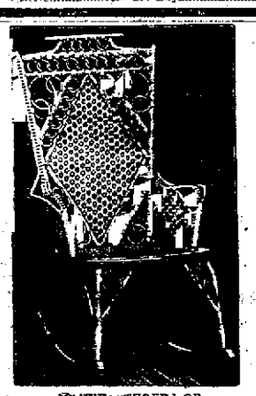
SAN FRANCISCO July 27.

MORNING BOARD.

110 Ophir	7¾	10 Con	9
280 Mexican	6⅝	100 Overman	11
10 Gould & C.	3 10	200 Lady Washington	20c
165 B & B	8⅝@8¾	640 Caledonia	21c
40 Cala	2 05	100 Lady Wash	20c
170 Challenge	1 95	100 Andes	30c
250 Forest	1 65@1 75	100 Belmont	75c@80c
220 Point	1 40	100 Mexican	1 00
110 Jacket	1 10@1 15	100 Exchequer	1 60
100 Imperial	35c	220 Quincy	3 80@3 75
50 Alpha	4¼	10 Belcher	1 70
405 Belcher	1 75@1 70	90 Justice	85c
25 Con Va	1 85	50 Savage	1¼
160 S Nev	11¾@11¾	20 Union	2¼
815 Bullion	1 60@1 60		

AFTERNOON BOARD.

190 Ed Con	1b	160 S Standard	5c
15 Manhattan	1¼	150 Yeno	1 80
500 Prize	1 30	150 Con Pac	1¼
100 Gen Thomas	45c	100 University	25c
100 Tuscarora (assess 20c)		300 Brunswick	10c
55 Paradise	30c	120 Dudley	30@35c
300 Belle Isle	70	300 Adelaide	85@90c
100 Albion	40c	650 Standard	70@75c
200 R. Belmont	55c	35 Mammoth	1 90
300 Mt Diablo	10@10¾	125 Boston	10@11c
400 N Belle Isle	45c	400 Oro	1 40
150 Summit	12¼	600 S Bodie	5c
100 Goodshaw	9c	100 Yip Top	7
50 Concordia	70c	200 Jupiter	1 65
350 Champion	60c	40 N Noonday	3
350 N Belle	10c	200 Day	85c



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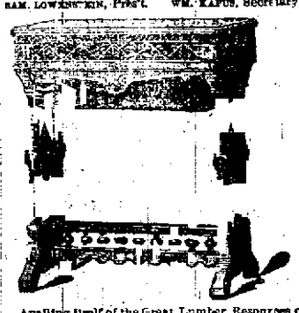

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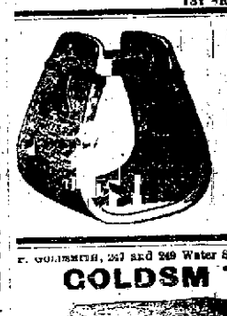

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